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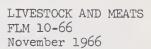
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INTERNATIONAL MEAT TRADE: CONTINUING TRENDS

Dramatic shifts that occurred in world meat trade patterns during 1964 were largely continued throughout 1965. World exports of all red meats in 1965 amounted to 8,862 million pounds (carcass weight equivalent basis, excluding fats, offals and live animals)—up 2 percent from the previous year's reduced level but, still, 4 percent below 1963's all-time export high. Last year's modest increase reflects substantially heavier world exports of pork (nearly 18 percent more than in 1964) which more than offset reduced shipments of beef and veal (about 5 percent less than in 1964); the combined world exports of mutton, lamb, goat meat and horse meat were only slightly under 1964's level.

World trade in red meats last year was comprised of beef and veal (nearly 50 percent of total exports), pork (34 percent), mutton, lamb and goat meat (14 percent), and horse meat (2 percent).

Beef and Veal. The bulk of beef and veal moving in foreign trade is from surplus producing countries in South America and Oceania, to deficit producing parts of Europe and North America.

In 1965, the world's leading exporters of beef and veal were Australia (accounting for 25 percent of total world exports), Argentina (21 percent), New Zealand (8 percent), and Uruguay (5 percent). Top-ranking importers were the United States (accounting for 22 percent of total world imports), United Kingdom (22 percent), Italy (14 percent), and West Germany (9 percent).

Exports of beef and veal last year amounted to 4,367 million pounds--down 5 percent from 1964's already reduced level.

Argentina declined slightly from its long-standing first-place position among the world's leading beef exporters, shipping only 933 million pounds in 1965--off 22 percent from the previous year. After-effects of 1963's drought-induced record heavy slaughter were still being felt. Uruguay too, exported considerably less--down 32 percent--last year than in 1964 (224 million pounds in 1965 compared with 331 million in the previous year).

New Zealand shipped 12 percent less--354 million pounds compared with 404 million in 1964; herd rebuilding and reduced cow slaughter resulted in smaller output and export availabilities.

Australia became number one among the world's major beef exporters. Shipments totaled 1,103 million pounds--up 12 percent from 1964 and fully double the average amounts exported during 1956-60.

On the import side, the United States--world's leading beef producer with about a third of the global total in recent years--maintained top-ranking position as the world's foremost purchaser of beef even though imports have been declining since 1963.

In 1965, U.S. imports of beef totaled 942 million pounds (carcass weight basis)--down 13 percent from 1964's already reduced level. Imports into the United Kingdom--at 934 million pounds last year--were off 18 percent from the high levels of other recent years. Italy's beef imports--at 575 million pounds--were 12 percent below 1964's alltime high. West Germany imported a record 361 million pounds in 1965--up 23 percent from the previous year's already high level.

In brief, world beef trends that emerged in 1964 were largely continued throughout most of 1965. Demand for beef still outpaced supply availabilities. Strong prices were sustained. Beef from Australia and New Zealand continued to move into West European markets to supplement reduced shipments from Argentina and Uruguay. The United States imported considerably less than in recent years.

Pork. In 1965, world pork exports increased 18 percent over the previous year and were 58 percent above 1956-60 average levels. This situation reflects considerably larger movements of pork within Europe, where the bulk of the trade is traditionally done. In 1965, Europe accounted for 94 percent of total world exports of pork and 90 percent of total world imports of pork.

Denmark is the world's leading exporter of pork shipping 1,290 million pounds in 1965--up 13 percent from 1964's already high level. The second largest world pork exporter is the Netherlands with 425 million pounds in 1965--also, up 13 percent from 376 million pounds in 1964. In each case, pork exports have increased steadily since 1960.

The unrivaled, top-ranking importer of pork is the United Kingdom. In 1965, the U.K. imported 1,440 million pounds of pork products--3 percent above 1964. The United Kingdom accounted for 53 percent of total world pork imports in 1965.

The United States is both an importer and an exporter of pork, but is generally a net importer. In 1965, U.S. pork imports amounted to 333 million pounds (up 25 percent from 1964) while exports totaled 55 million pounds (down 60 percent from 1964). Accounting for this shift were reduced slaughter supplies and high pork prices in the United States.

Mutton and Lamb. World trade in mutton and lamb showed no material change in 1965. Total exports amounted to 1,282 million pounds compared with 1,288 million pounds in 1964.

The world's leading exporter of mutton and lamb is New Zealand--shipping 759 million pounds, or 59 percent of the world total in 1965. This figure was 9 percent below the previous year, reflecting reduced slaughter following 1964's drought-stimulated heavier-than-usual slaughter.

Australia is the world's second largest exporter of mutton and lamb; exports--at 354 million pounds in 1965--were up 8 percent from 1964.

The world's leading importer of mutton and lamb is the United Kingdom taking 792 million pounds in 1965--up slightly from the previous year.

Beef and veal $\underline{1}$: Principal exporting and importing countries, quantity and percent of total, average 1956-60, annual 1964 and 1965

		Quantity	7	: Perce	nt of to	
Countries	Average	; 2/		:Average:	2/:	2/
	1956-60	: 1964	: 1965	;1956-60:	1964:	1965
	Mil.lb.	Mil.lb.	Mil.lb.	: Percent	Percent	Percent
Exporting countries:				:		
Australia	549.3	983.1	1,103.2	16.8	21.4	25.3
Argentina	1,174.2	1,194.0	932.6	35.9	25.9	
New Zealand		403.9	354.2			8.1
Uruguay	- 0 0	331.3	224.0	3.9	7.2	5.1
Netherlands		193.1	191.1			4.4
France	89.1	202.0	171.5		4.4	
Yugoslavia		178.9	163.5			0.7
Denmark		170.3	162.8			3.7
Ireland		154.3	157.3			3.6
Brazil		75.2	155.5			
U.S.S.R. (Europe and Asia).	•	138.0	N.A.		3.0	N.A.
Canada		42.8	102.1			
Mexico.	-	71.3	68.1			
Paraguay		53.9	54.7			
United States		64.8	53.9	_		
South Africa, Rep. of		62.6	52.3			1.2
Other		287.0	285.2			6.5
						
Total	3,270.3	4,606.5	4,367.3	3: 100.0	100.0	100.0
Importing countries: ;				•		
United States	671.0	1,085.2	941.8	20.2	23.5	22.3
United Kingdom		1,133.1	934.2		24.5	22.2
Italy		656.5	574.7		14.2	
Germany, West		293.8	360.7		6.4	8.6
U.S.S.R. (Europe and Asia)	•	212.2	N.A.			
Germany, East		N.A.	N.A.			
France	7	176.4	143.1		_	
Spain	<u> </u>	49.8	124.7		1.1	_
Switzerland	· -	88.3	70.0			
Netherlands		81.2	69.2		_	
	_	65.5	67.7		1.4	
Greece			01.1	': •5		
Israel		50.3	49.8			1.1
Belgium and Luxembourg:		57.6	44.5		1.2	
Other	297.0	472.9	447.2	8.9	10.2	10.0
Total	3,315.8	4,622.8	4,212.9	9: 100.0		100.0

^{1/} Carcass weight equivalent; excludes fat, offals and live animals. 2/ Preliminary.

Pork 1/: Principal exporting and importing countries, quantity and percent of total, average 1956-60, annual 1964 and 1965

9		Quantity			*	Per	cent of to	otal
Countries	Average:	2/	*	2/	:1	lverage;	2/;	2/
	1956-60:	1964	:	1965		L956-60:	1964:	1965
	Mil.lb.	Mil.lb.		Mil.lb.	;]	Percent	Percent 1	Percent
Exporting countries:					;			
Denmark	741.7	1,143.2		1,290.0	0	38.7	4.5	42.7
Netherlands	299.7	3 76.3		425.4		15.6	14.7	14.1
Yugoslavia	71.3	192.8		340.2		3.7	7.5	11.3
Poland	220.4	261.0		N.A.		11.5	10.2	N.A.
Ireland	58.9	100.4		125.1		3.1	3.9	4.1
Belgium and Luxembourg:	24.9	39.4		65.9		1.3	1.5	2.2
Canada	65.9	59.5		62.0	:	3.4	2.3	2.1
Sweden	52.0	30.6		58.4		2.7	1.2	1.9
United States	77.9	138.3		55.3		4.1	5.4	1.8
France	72.4	31.4		51.3		3.8	1.2	1.7
Other		196.2		268.3	:	12.1	7.6	8.9
mat a l	1 017 7	2,569.1			-	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total	1,917.7	2,709.1		3,021.9		100.0	100.0	100.0
Importing countries:					9			
United Kingdom		1,398.8		1,440.2		59.7	50.4	49.9
United States		267.4		333.0	-	8.3	9.6	11.5
France		236.9		217.8		1.3	8.5	7.5
Germany, West	83.4	139.5		203.7	* 1	4.1	5.0	7.1
Germany, East	125.0	N.A.		N.A.		6.1	N.A.	N.A.
Belgium and Luxembourg;	13.4	47.9		80.0		.6	1.7	2.8
Czechoslovakia	130.0	N.A.		N.A.		6.3	N.A.	N.A.
Italy	49.4	61.2		60.3	9	2.4	2.2	2.1
Canada	4.5	53.9		38.0		.2	2.0	1.3
Hong Kong	10.5	26.9		34.3	*	•5	1.0	1.2
Sweden	3.0	8.5		32.7		.1	•3	1.1
U.S.S.R. (Europe and Asia):	56.3	50.8		N.A.		2.7	1.8	N.A.
Other		263.4		204.5	:	7.7	9.5	7.1
Total	2,063.7	2,775.6		2,884.5	:	100.0	100.0	100.0

^[] Carcass weight equivalent; excludes fat, offals, and live animals. 2 Preliminary.

Mutton, lamb, and goat meat 1/: Principal exporting and importing countries, quantity and percent of total, average 1956-60, annual 1964 and 1965

		Quantity	7	; Perç	ent of to	tal
	Average :	2/ :	2/	;Average ;	2/:	2/
	:1956-60 :		1965			1965
	Mil.lb.	Mil.lb.	Mil.lb.	: Percent	Percent	Percent
Exporting countries:		0	0.0	:	<i>(</i>) 0	
New Zealand		835.0	758.8		64.8	59.2
Australia		329.5	354.4		25.6	27.6
Argentina	98.9	40.0	45.6	; 10.0	3.1	3.6
Uruguay	6.2	7.1	40.9	: .6	•5	3.2
Ireland	15.0	33.0	31.4	; 1.5	2.6	2.4
Netherlands		11.0	20.3	: 1.1	. 9	1.6
Other	~ /	32.8	30.9	: 1.9	2.5	2.4
Total	986.2	1,288.4	1,282.3	: 100.0	100.0	100.0
Importing countries:			~	•		
United Kingdom	836.3	779.3	791.7	82.9	67.1	66.6
-		135.4	118.7		11.7	10.0
Japan		79.0	72.5		6.8	6.1
		43.9	69.9	-	3.8	5.9
Greece		• •		*	_	
France		29.2	32.6	-	2.5	2.7
Canada	// -	37.7	31.0	. , ,	3.2	2.6
Other	66.2	57.5	72.9	: 6.6	4.9	6.1
Total	: 1,009.1	1,162.0	1,189.3	: 100.0	100.0	100.0

1/ Carcass weight equivalent; excludes fats, offals and live animals. 2/ Preliminary.

Horse meat 1/: Principal exporting and importing countries, quantity and percent of total, average 1956-60, annual 1964 and 1965

9		Quantity		Percent of total				
Countries	Average:	2/	2/	Average	2/	2/		
:	1956-60:	1964 :	1965	: 1956-60:	1964	: 1965		
	Mil.lb.	Mil.lb.	Mil.lb.	Percent	Percent	Percent		
Exporting countries: ;								
Argentina	20.6	191.9	161.2	41.5	83.9	84.4		
Mexico	9.0	12.0	N.A.	18.2	5.2	N.A.		
Poland	2.4	7.4	N.A.	4.8	3.2	N.A.		
Other	17.6	17.5	11.8	35.5	7.7	6.2		
Total	49.6	228.8	191.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
Importing countries:				-				
Netherlands	4.1	31.7	58.3	10.2	18.4	35.0		
Belgium and Luxembourg		47.4	53.1		27.6	31.9		
Japan	0 -	60.1	26.7	20.0	35.0	16.0		
United States		14.0	10.8		8.1	6.5		
France		6.4	8.3	5.0	3.7	5.0		
Other		12.4	9.4	·	7.2	5.6		
Total	40.3	172.0	166.6	100.0	100.0	100.0		

^{1/} Carcass weight equivalent; excludes fat, offals, and live animals. 2/ Preliminary.

Red meat 1/: Principal exporting and importing countries, quantity and percent of total, average 1956-60, annual 1964 and 1965

		Quantity		:	Per	cent of	total
	Average			:Aver			; 2/
	: 1956-60					: 1964	: 1965
	Mil.lb.	Mil.lb.	Mil.lb.	;Perc	ent	Percent	Percent
Exporting countries:				:			
Australia		1,314.6	1,460.1		1.6	15.1	
Denmark		1,313.9	1,453.0		4.7	15.1	
Argentina		1,436.4	1,143.9		1.6	16.5	
New Zealand		1,250.0	1,116.1		6.1	14.4	12.6
Netherlands	, , , ,	580.8	638.1		6.0	6.7	
Yugoslavia	127.2	383.7	514.0		2.0	4.4	5.8
Poland		322.3	N.A.		3.6	3.7	N.A.
Ireland		294.9	321.3		2.9	3.4	
Uruguay		3 3 8.4	264.9		2.2	3.9	3.0
France		234.6	224.8		2.6	2.7	2.5
U.S.S.R. (Europe and Asia).;	177.9	160.5	N.A.		2.8	1.9	N.A.
Canada;	105.3	103.1	164.8	;	1.7	1.2	1.8
Brazil	92.7	81.1	157.5		1.5	.9	1.8
United States	145.3	205.7	111.2	•	2.3	2.4	1.3
Sweden	56.2	53.9	93.9	:	.9	.6	1.1
Hungary	55.2	88.0	N.A.	;	.9	1.0	N.A.
Mexico	16.9	83.3	80.1	* 2	• 3	1.0	•9
Belgium and Luxembourg;	36.9	51.8	77.1	;	.6	.6	.9
Germany, West	46.9	44.0	59.7	;	.8	•5	.7
South Africa, Rep. of	32.1	71.8	57.5	;	.5	.8	.6
Other	271.5	280.0	317.5	;	4.4	3.2	3.6
Total	6,226.4	8,692.8	8,862.5	: 10	0.0	100.0	100.0
Importing countries:				:			
United Kingdom	3,419.9	3,311.2	3,166.1	: 5	3.2	37.9	37.5
United States	890.0	1,445.6	1,358.1		3.8	16.6	
Italy	-	725.9	644.6		4.3	8.3	7.6
Germany, West		438.8	570.9	:	3.8	5.0	
France	104.1	448.9	402.1		1.6	5.2	4.7
Germany, East	3/257.4	N.A.	N.A.		4.0	N.A	. N.A.
U.S.S.R. (Europe and Asia) :		263.0	N.A.	:	5.2	3.0	N.A.
Czechoslovakia	^	N.A.	N.A.	;	2.5	N.A	. N.A.
Belgium and Luxembourg		157.5	182.9	:	.9	1.8	2.2
Japan	37.9	219.4	170.6	:	.6	2.5	2.0
Netherlands		146.7	149.8	;	.8	1.7	1.8
Spain		60.1	149.1	;	.8	•7	1.8
Greece	39.1	125.5	143.4	:	.6	1.4	1.7
Switzerland	34.4	133.2	99.2		•5	1.5	1.2
Canada	75.1	139.4	96.0		1.2	1.6	1.1
Other	* · · ·	566.8	569.5		6.2	6.5	6.7
Total		8,732.4	8,453.3		0.0	100.0	

^{1/} Carcass weight equivalent; excludes fat, offals, and live animals. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Less than a 5-year average.

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Continent and country	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
		: Million			: Million			: Million			: Million :	
North America:						: pounds			pounds	pounds	pounds :	pounds
Canada	: 38.8 : 60.2	53.4 671.0	37·5 35·9	55.6 1,037.2	27.6 32.0	57.3 1,439.8	25.6 32.6	63.7 1,677.5	42.8 64.8	47.8 1,085.2	102.4 53.9	27.0 941.8
Honduras	:		7.6		14.4		14.5		15.9		20.6	
Mexico Dominican Republic	: 52.9 : 3.4	.4	78.7 3.5	.1	85.1 6.3	1.5	101.9	.6	71.3	-5	68.1	.5
Total North America	: 155.3	724.9	163.2	1,092.9	165.4	1,498.6	3/178.6	1,741.8	3/198.8	1,133.5	3/249.0	969.3
South America:	-						2-1			-,-,-,	2)21,710	707.5
Argentina	: 1,174.2		925.2		1,180.9		1,600.1		1,194.0		932.6	
Brazil	91.2	.8 6.6	92.9	<u>*</u> / 17.1	73.6	18.3	54.9 1.6	10.4	75.2		155.5	.777
ChileParaguay	31.9		46.6	T1-T	46.2	10.3	51.9	10.4	53.9	29.4	54.7	14.1
Peru	128.8	8.5	136.2	5.9	182.0	8.7	212 (10.3		9.6		14.1
Uruguay Venezuela	120.0	2.2	130.2	1.6	102.0	.6	213.6	.1	331.3	.1	224.0	.6
Total South America	1,426.1	18.1	1,200.9	24.6	1,482.7	27.6	1,922.1	20.8	1,654.4	39.1	1,366.8	28.8
Europe: Western: EEC:	•											
Belgium and Luxembourg	11.5	24.1	1.5 278.4	32.9	6.3	38.2	26.4	45.9	10.7	57.6 176.4	6.4	44.5
France	89.1 28.9	62.3	278.¥ 25.2	27.2	382.5 28.5	22.9 250.3	263.5 28.5	86.1 223.8	202.0 25.1	176.4 293.8	171.5 15.2	143.4 360.7
Italy	: 1.4	224.0	.3	123.1	.2	219.1	.2	597-4	.2	656.5	.2	574.7
Metherlands	: 62.1	34.9	84.8	50.7	106.6	50.6	155.9	41.0	193.1	81.2	191.1	69.2
Total REC	193.0	472.5	390.2	436.3	524.1	581.1	474.5	994.2	431.1	1,265.5	384.4	1,192.5
Austria	2.5	5.1	2.3	7.4	1.8	7.2	9.0	5.3	2.4	12.1	5.7 162.8	19.9
Denmark	: 167.6	5/	140.1	21.6	201.5	2.5	241.5	-3	170.3	.2	162.8 3.3	.3 1.8
FinlandGreece	<u>5/</u>	18.2	4/	33.1	¥/	46.1		77.9		65.5	•3	67.7
Ireland	: 106.8	1.8	240.9 3.0	.2 2.3	195.9 12.4	.6 1.4	196.8 5.3	1.6	154.3	3.3	157.3 3.0	2.9
Portugal	: 1.3	9.2	1.4	22.8	.7	14.0	.8	23.6	.9	21.3	.9	21.6
Spain	3.8	50.6 27.4	.8	10.6	1.2	97.0 26.0	.1	189.0 14.6	·3 22.9	49.8 23.8	.2 35.2	124.7 17.5
SwedenSwitzerland	;	18.5	7.6	45.6	8.1	56.2	44.3 8.2	46.0	7.1	88.3	3.6	70.0
United Kingdom	20.3	1,352.6	6.0	1,040.1	5.2	1,134.8	6.5	1,156.3	22.3	1,133.1	27.5	934.2
Total Western Europe	: 497.1	1,955.9	792.9	1,651.4	968.7	1,967.3	987.3	2,508.8	813.4	2,662.9	784.2	2,453.1
Eastern:	:											
Bulgaria		8.1 27.8	.9	9.3	4.4	1.9 112.7	3.0	10.3 118.4				
Germany, East	6/39.0	6/131.4	24.3	93.8 185.6	28.2	234.4	28.2	203.3				
Hungary Poland	22.8	2.8	39.2	17.4	62.5 84.0	28.7 8.1	65.5	56.4	44.4 53.6	54.7 32.4		
Yugoslavia	+3.4	1.5	63.0 96.4	.3	168.0	.1	59.5 183.1	39.1	178.9	.1	163.5	2.7
Total Eastern Europe	106.2	189.0	223.8	318.4	347.1	385.9	339+3	429.7	3/307.4	3/426.2	3/286.0	3/402.7
Total Europe	603.3	2,144.9	1,016.7	1,969.8	1,315.8	2,353.2	1,326.6	2,938.5	3/1,120.8	3/3,089.1	3/1,070.2	3/2,855.8
U.S.S.R. (Europe and Asia)	172.8	282.5	147.4	115.1	297.0	343.0	411.2	59.4	138.0	212.2	•••	
Adulana	-											
Africa: United Arab Republic	<u>4</u> /	5.3 11.1	4/	12.6	.2	8.0	<u>*</u> /	13.9 8.5	<u>*</u> /	15.7	<u>4</u> /	25.0
Ghana				12.1		9.8			1-0	7.2	<u>-</u> Ξ-	
Rhodesia and Malawi	: 17.0 : 19.7	10.0	31.8 37.4	5.2 2.8	34.2 40.2	4.3 2.1	40.7 54.4	3.6 1.0	43.8 62.6	.8	52.3	
Total Africa	36.7	34.5	69.2	32.7	74.6	24.2	95.1	27.0	106.4	3/27.7	3/87.3	<u>3</u> /37.0
Asia:												
Israel		21.5		9.7 6.2		28.5		31.6		50.3		49.8
Hong Kong	.2	8.3	.1	6.2 12.0	.1	5.2 10.8	<u>4/</u>	8.0	<u>4/</u>	7.0 14.2	<u>4</u> /	8.2
Malaysia	.6	12.8	.5	12.0	.1	9.3	.6	12.9	1.0	11.1		
Philippines		51.1		25.8		43.1		29.3		38.6		28.0
Total Asia	1.4	110.9	.7	65.7	.6	96.9	.7	92.6	1.1	121.2	3/1.6	3/122.0
Oceania:												
Australia 7/	549.3		523.9		750.3		927.6		983.1		1,103.2	
New Zealand 8/	325.4		303.6		381.9		397.6		403.9		354.2	
Total Oceania	874.7	•••	827.5	•••	1,132.2		1,325.2		1,387.0		1,457.4	
Total 46 selected countries	3,270.3	3,315.8	3,425.6	3,300.8	4,468.3	4,343.5	3/5,259.5	4,880.1	3/4,606.5	3/4,622.8	3/4,367.3	3/4,212.9

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Pork $\underline{1}/:$ International trade in selected countries, average 1956-60, annual 1961-65

	Million pounds 65.9 77.9	: pounds	Exports: Million	-		Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	55 2/ Imports
North America: Canada United States Bonduras Mexico. Dominican Republic. Total North America.	65.9 77.9	: pounds										
Canada. United States. Bonduras. Mexico. Dominican Republic. Total North America.	65.9 17.9		: pounds		: Million : pounds	: Million : pounds	: Million	: Million : pounds	: Million : pounds		: Million	: Million
Honduras Mexico. Dominican Republic. Total North America.		4.5	58.4	42.0	52.3	35-7	52.4	89.8	59.5		: <u>pounds</u> 62.0	: pounds
Mexico		172.0	72.3	187.2	66.9	215.8	141.7	225.0	138.3	53.9 267.4	55.3	333-0
Total Worth America		5.5		.1		۰5		.2		-3 .4		-3
:				.1		.4						
South America:	143.8	183.1	130.7	229.6	119.2	252.5	194.1	315.2	197.8	322.0	117.3	3/371.7
Argentina	52.0		14.6		0.5		03.0					
Brazil:	1.5		.4		9.5 1.5		21.8		10.5		4.5	
Chile		.4 •5		.5 1.0		.8 1.1		1.0		.1 1.1		1.8
Venezuela:		20.7		14.1		15.9		18.0		17.6		8.8
Total South America	53.5	22.6	15.0	15.6	11.0	17.8	22.2	20.2	11.5	18.8	5-5	11.2
Burope:												
EEC:												
Belgium and Luxembourg:	24.9 72.4	13.4 26.1	43.5 56.8	36.8 98.5	62.1 45.6	22.3 30.8	¥7.3	37.9 145.2	39.4	47.9 236.9	65.9	80.0
Germany, West:	16.8	83.4	15.1	136.1	15.4	170.9	53-7 20.4	167.7	31.4 17.5	139.5	51.3 43.9	217.8 203.7
Italy:	16.2 299.7	10.2	18.8 303.1	31.2 5.4	16.9 304.6	80.7 5.2	17.3 342.1	96.9 8.4	26.5 376.3	61.2 31.5	42.8	60.3 20.8
Total KEC	430.0	182.5	437-3	308.0	444.6	309.9	480.8	456.1	491.1	517.0	629.3	582.6
Austria	.2	6.0	2.1	4.7	.6	4.4	.6	4.8	1.0			
Denmark	741.7		948.8	.1	1,005.3	4/	1,054.3	.6	1,143.2	6.0 .5 2.7	1,290.0	8.3
Finland.	5/	5/ 1.6	2.9	4.9 6.5	3.0	1.3	3.8	2.0	4.5	2.7	5.9	2.9 5.8
Ireland:	58.9	.2	89.5	.2	98.2	.6	102.3		100.4		125.1	
Portugal.	1.1	5.0	3.2 2.0	4.3 .5	6.1 1.5	3.5	1.6	2.2	4.3 1.4	9.7 9.1	12.8	5.7 10.8
Spain	.9	.7	.7	14.7	.4	39+3	.1	28.8	.1	9.6	1.0	24.4
Switzerland	52.0 .2	3.0 11.4	48.9 <u>4</u> /	13.4 11.6	71.0	44.9 36.1	52.2 4/	12.6 39.1	30.6 4/	8.5 39.7	58.4	32.7 22.8
United Kingdom:	18.7	1,231.0	11.8	1,398.4	11.8	1,401.5	13.7	1,339.7	13.6	1,398.8	12.4	1,440.2
Total Western Europe:	1,305.7	1,441.4	1,547.2	1,767.3	1,642.5	1,848.4	1,709.6	1,909.3	1,790.2	2,017.7	2,149.5	2,136.8
Eastern: Bulgaria	34.7	8.8	28.9		22.0		9.9	5.2				
Czechoslovakis:	2.6	130.0	2.3	92.8	3.2	67.9	3.9	81.6				
Germany, East	6/19.4 32.0	6/125.0 22.6	15.3 36.7	119.8 25.9	10.0 59.1	153.9 26.2	21.3 51.7	138.5 24.9	43.1	38.6		
Poland:	220.4	33.4	301.4	9.4	298.2	2.2	268.7	65.8	261.0	52.5		
Yugoslavia	71.3	6.0	140.8	5.9	115.9	.4	120.7		192.8	.1	340.2	
Total Eastern Europe:	380.4	325.8	525.4	253.8	508.4	250.6	476.2	316.0	3/522.9	3/314.6	3/686.2	3/293.0
Total Europe	1,686.1	1,767.2	2,072.6	2,021.1	2,150.9	2,099.0	2,185.8	2,225.3	3/2,313.1	3/2,332.3	3/2,835.7	3/2,429.8
J.S.S.R. (Europe and Asia):	5.1	56.3	14.7	20.5	64.2	39.6	91.5	13.6	22.5	50.8		
Africa:												
United Arab Republic :: Chana ::	<u>4</u> /	15.8		9.4		4.2		4.0		2.2		
Rhodesia and Malawi: South Africa, Republic of:	1.4	.4	4.1 8.2	4/	4.1 13.4	4/	3.8 5.5		1.8	2.2	5.0	
Total Africa:	13.3	16.3	12.3	9.4	17.5	4.2	9.3	4.8	10.2	4.4	3/7.0	3/3.0
Asia: : Israel::		h/		4/								
Hong Kong:	.3	10.5	.2	19.9	.1	15.9	.1	15.3	.2	26.9		34·3 .8
Japan: :	.1	3.2	.1	2.5	.3	.5 3.0	.2	15.2 3.8	.6	9.7 3.7	.1	.8
Philippines:		1.5		.8		.1		-5		.9		2.3
Total Asia:	.6	18.2	•5	25.6	.6	19.5	.6	34.8	-9	41.2	<u>3</u> /.8	3/40.8
Ceania:			- /			1./		1.1	0.6		0.5	
Australia 7/: New Zealand 8/:	2.4 12.9		3.6 5.1		3.2 5.5	<u>*/</u>	1.9	4:4	2.0	6.1	2.5 3.1	3.0
Total Oceania	15.3		8.7		8.7	<u>h</u> /	12.7	l _{4 .} l ₅	13.1	6.1	5.6	3.0
	1,917.7	2,063.7	2,254.5	2,321.8	2,372.1	2,432.6	2,516.2	2,618.3	3/2,569.1	3/2,775.6	3/3,021.9	3/2,884.5

<sup>:

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Continent and country	Ave 195	rage 6-60	1	961	1	962	19	963	196	GL 2/	196	5 2/
	Exports	Imports	Exports	: Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	Million pounds			: Million : pounds	: Million : pounds	: Million : pounds	: Million :		: Million : pounds	: Million : pounds	: Million : pownds	: Million : pounds
North America: :												· Politica
Canada: United States:	0.6 2.3	17.2 47.0	2.0	33.4 100.7	0.6	37.9	0.7	48.1	0.8	37.7	0.4	31.0
Mexico:		.1		200.1	2.6	143.2	1.5	144.7	1.9	79.0	2.0	72.5
Total North America	2.9	64.3	2.2	134.1	3-2	181.1	2.2	192.8	2.7	116.7	2.4	103.5
South America:								~_~~~~				
Argentina:	98.9		82.2		89.3		90.1		40.0		45.6	
Brazil. : Chile :	3/ 4.3	.1	6.4	.8	2.0		2.3	-1			1.0	
Paraguay:												
Peru. : Uruguay. :	6.2	1.1	.1	2.5		3.1	2.8	2.7		4.0		
Venezuela.		3/		.2		.1		.1	7.1	3/	40.9	
Total South America:	109.4	1.2	88.7	3.5	91.3	3.5	95.2	2.9	<u>4</u> /49.1	<u>4</u> /4.1	<u>4</u> /89.5	4/9.0
Surope:												
Western:												
Belgium and Laxembourg:	.1	3.9		3.5		3-3	.2	4.0	1.1	4.6	4.0	5.3
France: Germany, West:	1.6 1.2	13.7 33.9	5.0	11.9 1.7	1.8	15.9	1.3	26.8 4.8	1.2	29.2	1.9	5.3 32.6 6.5 9.6
Italy:	3/	2.0	.3 3/	4.7	.5 3/	3·3 5·7	.9 <u>3</u> /	7.4	1.4	5.4 7.3	.6 3/	9.6
Netherlands:	11.2	+3	11.3	.7	13.8	.7	13.2	-5	11.0	2.3	20.3	1.5
Total EEC	14.1	53.8	16.6	22.5	16.1	28.9	15.6	43.5	14.7	48.8	26.8	55.5
Austria:			3/	3/	.1		.1	3/	3/	3/	.1	3/
Denmark:	.1		3/ .1	<u>3</u> / •5	-1	.6	.1	3/	.2	.7	.2	3/ •7
Finland : Greece :		19.3		27.3		22.4	.2	.3 33.6		43.9	.2	.4 69.9
Ireland:	15.0		16.3		33.8		34.6		33.0		.2 3/ 31.4	
Norway:	.1	.4	3/ 3/	1.7	3/	1.5	.1	1.9	:1	.8		2.5
Spain			1.2		<u>3/</u>	3/	.6		3/ 1.7	3/ 1.2	3/ 1.7	3/
Sweden:		1.4		1.9	3/	-9	3/	.9				.5
Svitzerland: United Kingdom:		4.5 836.3		1.0 825.7	2.2	1.5 830.7	6.9	1.9 790.1	10.1	2.8 779.3	5.2	3.2 7 91.7
Total Western Europe:	29.3	915.7	34.2	880.6	52.7	886.5	58.2	872.8	59.8	877.5	65.6	924.4
Eastern:												
Bulgaria	3/	•5	3/	1.6	.1	1.4	.2	1.9				
Czechoslovakia:		. •9		.7		8.6		3.5				
Germany, East:	5/.1 .4	5/1.0	.3 1.6	1.7	·5 .6	3.2	.9	4.8	.4			
Poland:	6.9	1.8	1.2	.1	1.4	.7	.4		+3	.1		
Yugoslavia	7.8			4.1	5.8		9.0		10.5		9.5	
Total Eastern Europe:	7.0	4.2	9.7		0.4	13.9	11.0	10.2	4/11.7	4/7.6	¥/11.0	<u>4</u> /8.0
Total Europe	37-1	919.9	43.9	884.7	61.1	900.4	69.2	883.0	<u>4</u> /71.5	4/885.1	4/76.6	4/932.4
Africa:	2/	~ 0		15.0						1. 0		
United Arab Republic :: Chana ::	3/	7.8		15.2	.9 	9.6 3.7		3.6 6.5 2.7		4.0 3.4		11.3
Rhodesia and Malawi:		.6		3.2		3.3		2.7		.8		
South Africa, Republic of:	-3	.1	.8	3/	3.5		.6		+3		.2	
Total Africa:	•3	8.5	.8	22.8	4.4	16.6	.6	12.8	-3	8.2	.2	4/14.3
Asia:												
Hong Kong	3/ .1	1.0 9.4	3/	1.2 50.0		1.7 51.1		1.9 107.6	3/	2.1 135.4		1.8 118.7
Malaysia:	.1	4.7	3/ ·1	6.4	.1	6.9	.2	8.1	-3	10.2		
Philippines:		.1		.1		3/		.2		.2		.1
Total Asia	.2	15.2	.1	57-7	.1	59.7	.2	117.8	-3	147.9	<u>4</u> /.4	<u>4</u> /130.1
Oceania:	174.2		268.9		283.1		344.7		390 F		354.4	
	114.6		769.9		801.2		778.1		329.5 835.0		758.8	
Australia 6/: New Zealand 7/:	662.1		1-7-7									
	836.3		1,038.8		1,084.3		1,122.8		1,164.5		1,113.2	

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Horse meat $\underline{1}/:$ International trade in selected countries, average 1956-60, annual 1961-65

Continent and country	Av.	erage 56-60	19	61	, 19	52	19	63	1964	2/	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	2/
	Exports	Imports :	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	: Million : pounds	: Million : pounds	: Million : pounds :		Million : pounds :	Million : pounds :	Million : pounds :		Million : pounds :			Million
North America:	-	Found	· pounts	pounds .	poulars .	pounds .	poulus :	pounds	pounds :	pounds :	pounds :	pounds
United States	: 4.9		1.5	13.0	1.6	46.0	0.8	38.0	0-7	14.0		10.8
Mexico	: 9.0		7.6		16.4		15.3		12.0			10.0
Total North America	13.9		9.1	13.0	18.0	46.0	16.1	38.0	12.7	14.0	3/12.0	10.8
South America:												
Argentina	: 20.6		58.0		88.4		126.6		191.9		161.2	
Brazil. Paraguay.	:				.1		.1		4.9			
Total South America	: 20.6		50.0									
TOTAL SOUTE AMERICA	: 20.6		58.0		89.2		126.7		196.8		161.2	
Europe: Western: EEC:	:											
Belgium and Luxembourg	4	16.1	1.0	33.2	-3	34.7	-5	36.0	.6	47.4	. 8	53.1
France	: .1	2.0	.2	1.8	4 <i>)</i> 4 <i>)</i> 4 <i>)</i>	1.1	4/	1.9	<u>i</u>	6.4		8.3
Germany, West	: 4/	4/	.1	.1	<u> </u>	4/		.1		.1		4/
Italy		.4/	4/		4/		4/	1.7	4/	-9		£/
Netherlands	: 1.1	4.1	-3	10.9	-9	13.8	-5	17.0	-4	31.7	1.3	58.3
Total EEC	: 1.6	22.2	1.6	46.0	1.2	49.6	1.0	56.7	1.0	86.5	2.2	119.7
Austria	.2			.1		-3		1.0		4.6		2.4
Denmark	: 3.7		1.0		4.7		<u>4/</u> 5.1	4/	.2	.2		
Ireland	:		2.2		4.7		5.1		7.2		7-5	
Spain. Sweden.	.4	10.0		14.9	4/	11.3		.2 6.1		.7		
Switzerland.	:	10.0	4/	.2	<u></u>	.5	<u>4/</u>	1.4		3.5 2.4		3.8 3.2
Total Western Europe	5.9	32.2	4.8	61.2	5.9	61.7	6.1	65.4	8.8	97.9	10.0	129.1
Eastern:	:											
Bulgaria	: 1.0		1.5		3.8							
Hungary	:								.1			
Poland	: 2.4		13.2		8.9		5.5		7.4			
Yugoslavia	: 5.6		8.2		4.0		2.1		1.5		.8	
Total Eastern Europe	: 9.0 :		22.9		16.7		7.6		3/10.0		3/7.8	
Total Europe	14.9	32.2	27.7	61.2	22.6	61.7	13.7	65.4	3/18.8	97+9	3/17.8	129.1
Africa: South Africa, Republic of	.2								.5			
Total Africa	.2								•5			
Asia: Japan		8.1		17.1		11.6		28.2		60.1		26.7
Total Asia		8.1		17.1		11.6		28.2		60.1		26.7
Total selected countries	49.6	40.3	94.8	91.3	129.8	119.3	156.5	131.6	3/228.8	172.0	3/191.0	166.6

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Continent and country	Ave 195	rage 6-60	: 1	1961	: 1	962	: 1	1963	: 1	964 2/	1969	; 2/
our officers and country	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
				: Million							: Million	Million
North America: Canada	: 105.3	: pounds 75.1	96.1	: <u>pounds</u>	80.5	130.9	: <u>pounds</u> 78.7	: <u>pounds</u>	: pounds		: pounds	pounds
United States	145.3	890.0	111.7	1,338.1	103.1	1,844.8	176.6	2,085.2	103.1 205.7	139.4	164.8 111.2	96.0 1,358.1
Honduras	16.9	.5 6.0	7.6 86.3	.2	14.4	2.0	14.5 117.2	.2	15.9 83.3	•3 •9	20.6 80.1	•3 •9
Dominican Republic	: 3.4	.7	3-5	1	6.3	.4						
Total Morth America	: 315.9	972.3	305.2	1,469.6	305.8	1,978.2	3/391.0	2,287.8	3/412.0	1,586.2	3/380.7	1,455.3
South America:												
Argentina	: 1,345.7	.8	1,080.0	18.4	1,368.1 75.2		1,838.6 55.4		1,436.4		1,143.9 157.5	
ChileParaguay	: 4.3	7.1	6.4		2.0 46.9	19.4	3.9 51.9	11.5	53.9	29.6	54.7	14.8
Peru. Uruguay	: 135.0	11.1	136.3	9.4	182.0	12.9	216.4	14.2	338.4	14.7	264.9	
Venezuela	:	22.9		15.9	102.0	16.6	210.4	18.2	330.4	17.7	204.9	
Total South America	1,609.6	41.9	1,362.6	43.7	1,674.2	48.9	2,166.2	43.9	3/1,911.8	62.0	3/1,623.0	3/49.0
Europe: Western:												
REC:	200		lut a	206 1	60 -	00.5			0			
Belgium and Luxembourg France	: 36.9 : 163.2 : 46.9	57.5 104.1	46.0 340.4	106.4	68.7 429.9 44.4	98.5 70.7	74.4 318.5	123.8 260.0	51.8 234.6	157.5 448.9	77.1 224.8	182.9 402.1
Germany, West	: 46.9 : 17.6	244.5 275.5	40.7 19.1	340.3 159.0	17.1	305.5	49.8 17.5	396.4 703.4	44.0 26.7	438.8 725.9	59.7 43.0	570.9 644.6
Netherlands	: 374.1	49.5	399.5	67.7	425.9	70.3	511.7	66.9	580.8	146.7	638.1	149.8
Total KEC	638.7	731.1	845.7	812.8	986.0	969.5	971.9	1,550.5	937-9	1,917.8	1,042.7	1,950.3
Austria	2.9	11.1	4.4	12.2	2.5	11.9	9.7	12.1	3.4	22.7	12.1	30.6
Pinland	: 913.1 : 2.6	3.1	1,090.0	.8 26.5	1,206.9 3.0	1.0 3.8	1,295.9	1.5 2.3	1,313.9	1.6 2.7	1,453.0 9.4	1.6 5.1
Greece	: 180.7	39.1	<u>4</u> / 348.9	66.9	332.6	75.3 1.2	338.8	124.7	294.9	125.5	·3 321.3	143.4
Norway	: 3.0	7.2 9.2	6.2	8.3 23.3	18.5	6.4	5.5 2.5	13.7 25.8	5.9 2.3	13.8 30.4	15.8 2.5	11.1 32.4
Spain	: .9	51.3 41.8	2.7	25.3 61.4	2.0	136.3	.8 96.5	218.0 34.2	2.1	60.1	2.9	149.1
Switzerland	: .2	34.4	49.5 7.6	58.4 3,264.2	8.1	94.3 3,367.0	8.2	88.4 3,286.1	53.9 7.1 46.0	37.0 133.2	93.9	54.5 99.2
United Kingdom	: 39.0 : 1,840.6	3,419.9 4,348.2	2,379.1	4,360.5	2,669.8	4,763.9	27.1	5,356.3	2,672.2	3,311.2 5,656.0	3,009.3	3,166.1 5,643.4
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Eastern: Bulgaria	: : 35.7	17.4	31.3	10.9	30.3	3•3	13.1	17.4				
Czechoslowakia	: 2.6 : 5/58.5	158.7 5/257.4	2.3 39.9	187.3 307.1	3.2 38.7	189.2 391.5	3.9 50.4	203.5 346.6				
Fungary. Poland.	: 55.2	25.4 52.6	77.5 378.8	43.3 21.5	122.2 392.5	54.9 11.0	117.7 334.1	81.3	88.0 322.3	93·3 85.0		
Yugoslavia	127.2	7.5	252.0	6.2	293.7	-5	314.9	2.2	383.7	.2	514.0	2.7
Total Eastern Europe	503.4	519.0	781.8	576.3	880.6	650.4	834.1	755-9	3/852.0	3/748.4	3/991.0	3/703.7
Total Europe	2,344.0	4,867.2	3,160.9	4,936.8	3,550.4	5,414.3	3,595 - 3	6,112.2	3/3,524.2	3/6,404.4	3/4,000.3	3/6,347.1
U.S.S.R. (Burope and Asia)	177.9	338.8	162.1	135.6	361.2	382.6	502.7	73.0	160.5	263.0		
Africa:			h./	~ .		37.6	L/	37.5		10.5		36.3
United Arab Republic	<u>+</u> /	13.1 26.9	7	27.8	1.1	17.6	1	17.5	<u>*/</u>	19.7 12.8	<u> </u>	
Rhodesis and Malavi	: 18.4 : 32.1	11.0 8.3	35·9 46.4	9.6 2.8	38.3 57.1	7.6 2.1	44.5 60.5	6.3 1.8	45.6 71.8	4.8 3.0	57.5	
Total Africa	50.5	59-3	82.3	64.9	96.5	45.0	105.0	14.6	117.4	40.3	3/94.5	3/54.3
Asia:	:							-				
Israel. Hong Kong.		21.5	.3	9.7		28.5		31.6		50.3 36.0		49.8
Japan	8	37.9	.2	81.6	.4	74.0	.3	161.8	.2	219.4	•3	170.6
Malaysia	: -9	20.5 52.7	.8	20.8	-7	19.2	1.1	24.8 30.0	1.9	25.0 39.7		30.4
Total Asia	2.2	152.4	1.3	166.1	1.3	187.7	1.5	273.4	2.3	370.4	3/2.8	3/319.6
Greania:	:				****							
Australia 6/ Bev Zealand 7/	725.9		796.4 1,078.6		1,036.6 1,188.6	<u>*/</u>	1,274.2 1,186.5	4.4 	1,314.6	6.1	1,460.1 1,116.1	3.0
Total Oceania	: 1,726.3		1,875.0		2,225.2	<u>b</u> /	2,460.7	4.4	2,564.6	6.1	2,576.2	3.0
Total 46 selected countries	6,226.4	6,431.9	6,949.4	6,816.7	8,214.6	8,056.7	3/9,222.4	8,839.3	3/8,692.8	3/8,732.4	3/8,862.5	3/8,453.3
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^{1/} Carcass weight equivalent basis; excludes fats, offals and live animals. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Includes an allowance for non-reporting areas. 4/ Less than 50,000 pounds. 5/ :ss than a 5-year average. 6/ Year ending June 30. 7/ Year ending September 30.

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